

Week #4 Arizona Downs Stewards' Report **June 15 and 16, 2019**

To: Rudy Casillas, Racing Division Director

From: Arizona Downs Board of Stewards

Date: 06/15/2019

Re: Arizona Downs Daily Report

Track Condition: Fast **Turf:** No Turf

Stewards Present: Magdaleno Perez, Gary Baze, Scot Waterman

State Veterinarian: Sue Gale, DVM

Track Veterinarian: Jeff Alldredge, DVM

Track Superintendent: Vic Oliver

Track Maintenance: Harrowed 3 inches, Cut 4 inches: Turf rail set at 0 feet.

Hearings

ARIZONA DOWNS RULING #2019AZD001

Having been properly notified of a formal hearing, and having waived that right on June 8, 2019, Owner/Trainer Armando Castellanos-Loza (ADG #10024), is hereby fined FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00) plus 5% Race Horse Adoption Fund surcharge for a total of FIVE HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS (\$525.00) following receipt of an affidavit from Industrial Laboratories indicating blood sample #E299018 taken from the horse "PIRTEVILLE CARTEL" who finished FIRST (1st) in the FIFTH (5th) race on May 19, 2019, at the Cochise County Fair @ Douglas for the presence of the Class IV foreign substance "DEXAMETHASONE" at a concentration of approximately 128 pg/mL (+/- 0.5 pg/mL).

The fine set forth above must be satisfied within ten days from the date of this order. If it is not paid by June 18, 2019, all licenses held by the respondent are automatically suspended for one hundred and eighty days beginning June 19, 2019, through and inclusive of December 16, 2019, and the matter is referred to the Director of the Arizona Department of Gaming/Racing Division with the recommendation that all licenses remain suspended until all requirements herein are satisfied.

The above described matter constitutes a violation in accordance with:

A.A.C. R19-2-102(19), R19-2-102(39), R19-2-106(C), R19-2-111(A)(B)(C), R19-2-112(12), R19-2-120(C)(D)(O), R19-2-121(E)

ARIZONA DOWNS RULING #2019AZD002

Groom Blan Roger Wilson (ADG #11263), having satisfied the conditions of Turf Paradise ruling #18-19TP098 is hereby restored to good standing.

Arizona Administrative Code/Arizona Revised Statutes Reference:

A.A.C. R19-2-121(E)(3); A.A.C. R19-2-121(E)(6)(j)

ARIZONA DOWNS RULING #2019AZD003

Having been properly noticed for to a formal hearing and having waived that right on June 14, 2019, Trainer Daniel Hernandez (ADG #10123) is hereby fined the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100.00) plus 5% Race Horse Adoption surcharge for a total of ONE HUNDRED AND FIVE DOLLARS (\$105.00) for failing to have the foal certificate papers on file for the horse "FIRE ON THE DESERT" in the SECOND race on June 09, 2019, at Arizona Downs.

The fine set forth above must be satisfied within ten days from the date of this order. If it is not paid by June 24, 2019, all licenses held by the respondent are automatically suspended for one hundred and eighty days beginning June 25, 2019 through and inclusive of December 22, 2019, and this matter is referred to the Director of the Arizona Division of Racing with the recommendation that all licenses remain suspended until all requirements herein are satisfied.

The above described matter constitutes a violation in accordance with:

A.A.C. R19-2-106(C); A.A.C. R19-2-109(E); A.A.C. R19-2-112(12); A.A.C. R19-2-121(E)

SCRATCHES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
4	11	PETE'S SLEW	COURTNEY FRANCIS	STEWARDS	ALSO-ELIGIBLE
5	5	SUNRISE AT THE BAR	RICARDO SALDANA	VET	FAILED TO WARM UP
6	4	BANZE NO OESTE	JEFF METZ	VET	SORE
6	9	VENDING MACHINE	CODY AXMAKER	VET	SICK
7	8	OLENES J BOSS	BENITO GUILLEN-VEGA	STEWARDS	NEEDED GATE WORK

CLAIMED HORSES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
1	8	SPECIAL SEASON	ANTHONY NARDUCCI/TIM GLEASON	CARROL STUBBS/CODY AXMAKER
3	3	TIZJOHNDEERSWAY	LARRY SCOTT, JR./O/T	SARATOGA WEST/JEFF METZ
5	10	SHE'S OUR TIZBUD	RAMON SEBASTION SABARO/FRANCIS MEZA	DAVE MARSHALL OR PAUL ROBINSON/LYMON PERREN

LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
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ADDITIONAL TESTING:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
1	6	CALL IT LUKE	SHANE PEACOCK	1 ST	TCO2
6	7	TRIUNFO	VANESSA MARQUEZ	5 TH	TCO2-NO SHOW
7	9	MY LITTLE CORONA	JOE BASSETT	2 ND	SPECIALED
8	5	TAMURA	RIGOBERTO GUILLEN	2 ND	SPECIALED

Significant Incidents /Matters:

Due to the electronic timers not being operable all races were hand timed.

Race 1: None

Race 2: None

Race 3: **#3 TIZJOHNDEERSWAY** was pulled up near the 1/8th pole and vanned off.

Race 4: JOCKEY OBJECTION/TURN/NO CHANGE:

Following the running of the race, RICHARD LULL, the rider of third place finisher **#7 HIDDEN GUN**, lodged an objection against second place finisher **#8 ROSAT**, ridden by KASSIE GUGLIELMINO, alleging interference going into the turn. After reviewing the videos and taking testimony from the riders involved the stewards determined that several horses were in tight quarters nearing the turn, however **#8 ROSAT**, who was in the four path going into the turn appeared to keep a straight course, while the three inside horses made contact with each other therefore the stewards decision was interference was not caused by **#8 ROSAT** and the films were inconclusive as to who to place blame therefore the stewards did not make any change to the original order of finish. The official order of finish is as follows: 10-8-7-5-6-2-1-9-3-4.

Race 5: None

Race 6: None

Race 7: None

Race 8: None

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State Veterinarian: Sue Gale, DVM

Track Veterinarian: West Vogt, DVM

Track Superintendent: Vic Oliver

Track Maintenance: Harrowed 3 inches, Cut 4 inches: No Turf

Hearings

None

SCRATCHES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	Type/Scratch	Reason
1	1	MO ROCK	RAMIRO BARRAZA SOSA	VET	SICK
1	2	MR EL R 15	BENITO GUILLEN-VEGA	VET	SICK
2	6	RUN FOR BELLE	JON ZIMMERMAN	VET	SICK
4	1	SHARP DRESSED GAL	JUAN Q. GUTIERREZ	VET	SORE
4	2	BIG WAVE BETTY	FRANCES PERKINGS	VET	INJURED PADDOCK
5	8	SILENT PARADISE	CURT FERGUSON	VET	SICK
6	4	GRACE HOPPER	NANCY POLITO	VET	SORE
6	7	CUP OF SOUP	CODY AXMAKER	VET	SICK
7	2	SASHAYING SIS	SCOTT ROLLINS	VET	SICK

CLAIMED HORSES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	New Owner/Trainer	Prior Owner/Trainer
5	1	I B EZ	DYLON & FREDERICO ALVAREZ/BILL BRASHEARS	BOB BORZONE/ROBERT HAZEL

LATE JOCKEY CHANGES:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Listed Jockey	New Jockey
5	7	SIR MATADOR	CARLOS MARQUEZ	LUIS VALENZUELA

ADDITIONAL TESTING:

Race #	Program #	Horse's Name	Trainer's Name	FINISH	Reason
2	7	PRINCESS NICOLE	ROBERT SCORE	2 ND	TCO2
3	7	TOCCALOT	RICARDO SALDANA	2 ND	SPECIALED
5	7	SIR MATADOR	VANESSA MARQUEZ	3 RD	TCO2
7	7	TORENO	LYMON PERREN	2 ND	SPECIALED

Significant Incidents /Matters:

Due to the electronic timers not being operable all races were hand timed.

Race 1: None

Race 2: It was announced to the public that ownership of **#3 JUNE AND JOHNNY** was Mike Turpen, Patricia Turpen and Jon Zimmerman

Race 3: STEWARDS INQUIRY/START/SPILL/NO CHANGE:

Following the running of the race the stewards posted the inquiry sign due to an incident at the start of the race in which **#2 CALLIE MESA**, ridden by CARL WILLIAMS, unseated the rider. After reviewing the videos and taking testimony from starter LEE PETERSON, the stewards determined that **#2 CALLIE MESA**, threw her head up and to the left as the front doors were opening and unseated the rider, however, the starting gate of **#2 CALLIE MESA**, opened in unison with the rest of the field and the assistant starter released the horse properly. The horse was given the opportunity of a fair start and therefore the stewards did not make any change to the original order of finish. The official order of finish is as follows: 3-7-5-6-8-4-1-(#2 lost rider).

Race 4: None

Race 5: None

Race 6: None

Race 7: None

Race 8: STEWARDS INQUIRY/TURN/SPILL/NO CHANGE:

Following the running of the race the stewards posted the inquiry sign due to an incident near the 3/8ths pole in which LUIS VALENZUELA, the rider of **#1 TIZ SIMPLY AWESOME**, was unseated. After reviewing the videos and taking testimony from McKenzie King, the rider of **#2 SUNRUN**, and KASSIE GUGLIELMINO, the rider of **#5 GRAND AMERICAN**, the stewards determined that **#1 TIZ SIMPLY AWESOME** was on the inside going into the turn, switched leads while bearing out slightly and clipped the heels of **#2 SUNRUN** and stumbled of her own accord unseating the rider, therefore the stewards did not make any change to the original order of finish. The official order of finish is as follows: 4-2-6-5-9-3-7-8-(#1-lost rider).

Respectfully submitted

Magdaleno Perez, State Steward

Gary Baze, State Steward

Dr. Scot Waterman, Associate Steward

WEEK #4 AZ Downs SUMMARY June 15 and 16, 2019

Races Carded	Stewards' Inquiries	Objections Lodged	Disqualifications	Claims	Afternoon Race-Related Incidents
16	2	1	0	4	2

2018-19 AZ DOWNS SEASON STATS

Races Carded	Stewards' Inquiries	Objections Lodged	Disqualifications	Claims	Afternoon Race-Related Accidents
80	4	5	1	9	2

AZ Downs Test Barn Equine Wellness Notes for Week #4;

Submitted by Dr. Susan Gale, Chief Veterinarian State of Arizona

Pre-race scratches, post-race lame and vanned off horses: 1 (See notes below)

Pre-race exam percentage: 100%

Failed pre-race Exams: No pre-race exam scratches on either race day.

Pre-race scratch at gate

6-15-19 **Sunrise at the Bar**, off right front, **UPDATE:** this horse was re-examined. No lameness found.

Vanned off

6-15-19 **Tizjohndeersway**, lame left front **UPDATE:** Upon veterinary advice, the horse was euthanized.

Other

6-16-19 **Callie Mesa**, lunged from gate and lost rider, fell over outside rail. **UPDATE:** Bruising and mild swelling of right shoulder and rear knee, no lameness observed.

6-16-19 **Tiz Simply Awesome**, stumbled and lost rider. **UPDATE:** No injuries observed.

Heat-related incidents post-race

None

Test barn proficiency for obtaining both urine and blood samples from horses sent to test barn.

Week #4, June 15-16= 62% proficiency; Meet Avg.: 78.7%

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602-364-1716

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